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Zadok Cramer.

Pittsburgh, 11th June, 1801.

N. B. A large assortment of BOOKS and STATIONARY have just arrived—among which are, Read's Digest of the Laws of Pennsylvania; 12mo. Bibles with Canne's marginal notes; the works of the late Revd. Witherspoon, President of Princeton College, 4 vols—Works of Burns, 4 vols. a new and elegant publication—Johnston's Folio Dictionary—Elegant hot pressed letter paper—Elegant portraits of Thomas Jefferson, framed—Family Bibles, and a great variety of other Books, &c. &c.

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A Catalogue of Books just published and may be had at the Book Store. 3t.

Sheriff's Sales.

BY *virtue of sundry writs of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be exposed to Sale at the Court House in the Borough of Pittsburgh, on Friday the 26th instant, the following described premises.*

Two Tracts of Land on Shenango creek adjoining lands of Jesse Welch and others—one of these tracts is in the Fourth Donation District, adjoining lands of Thomas Thompson, eight acres cleared.—Taken in execution as the property of John Carmicle and James Carmicle at the suit of John Welch.

Two hundred and fifty acres of Land, more or less, situate in Mercer township, adjoining lands of Robert Vance, Henry Ulery, and the Ohio river. Taken in execution as the property of William Cheney and Adam Patterson at the suit of James M'Kee.

Two Tracts of Land on Shenango creek, adjoining lands of John Welch and others—one of these tracts is in the Fourth Donation District, adjoining land of Thomas Thompson, eight acres cleared.—Taken in execution as the property of John Carmicle and James Carmicle at the suit of John Welch.

EPHRAIM JONES, Sheriff.

Pittsburgh, June 9, 1801.

FOR SALE.

A VALUABLE *TRACT of LAND with improvements, situate on Pine creek, about 11 miles from Pittsburgh. This tract includes the largest bottom on the creek, and for meadow land is exceeded by few. Persons wishing to purchase it is supposed will view the premises on which are erected a Barn and Still House—the land under cultivation amounts to about 30 acres, part of which is in meadow, and there is a number of young fruit trees planted out. It is presumed this tract is worthy the attention of any gentleman who may wish to lead an easy farmer's life.*

For terms apply to GEORGE COCHRAN, *in Pittsburgh, or* RICHARD COCHRAN, *on the premises.* tf

June 11, 1801.

NOTICE.

DISADVANTAGES *arising from calling the Lots laid out adjoining Georgetown, about one mile above the mouth of Little Beaver, by the name of* Fort Baltimore, *it is determined, that said name be abolished, and that all said Lots, in future be considered as a part of Georgetown.*

THOMAS SMITH.

March 15, 1801.

Four Dollars Reward.

STRAYED away the first of this instant from the subscriber living five miles above Mr. John Williamson's Mill, on Big Shenango, a Dark Sorrel HORSE, 8 years old, 14 hands and an half high, has a small star and long switch tail; he went off with a bay Mare in poor order, who had on a small bell, and a large button in place of a buckle on the bell collar, she had been brought to this settlement from Sewickly, Westmoreland county, and probably will make for said place. Whoever takes up said Horse and delivers him at the aforesaid mill, or send word of his being taken up so that the owner may get him again, shall receive the above reward and reasonable charges, paid by me.

JOHN RUTHERFORD.

Crawford county, 23 May, 1801.

JOHN IRWIN,

At his WHOLESALE and RETAIL STORE, Corner of MARKET and FOURTH STREETS,

HAS *just received and is opening, a large and general assortment of* MERCHANDIZE, *suitable for the season.*

He has also on hand a parcel of BOULTING CLOTHS *well assorted, and a large quantity of Coarse and Fine* SALT—*he also keeps a regular supply of* GROCERIES, *and has every necessary for persons going down the river, or to the Indian country, all which is offered for sale at reasonable prices. He hopes his attention to business and elegant assortment, will secure the approbation of his friends, customers and those who may call at his Store.*

Pittsburgh, May 26, 1801.

N. B All persons indebted to John Irwin, by bond, note, or book account, are required to come immediately and settle their respective balances —No further indulgence will be given.

Jeremiah Barker, & Co.

Have just received a handsome and general assortment of the freshest

GOODS,

which they are determined to sell, as usual, very low.

Pittsburgh, June 4, 1801.

NEW STORE.

Isaac Gregg,

IS just opening, in one of the front rooms of *Judge Breckenridge's* buildings, a few doors above Messrs. Parkins's Store, a large and handsome assortment of

FRESH GOODS,

which he will dispose of at the most reduced prices; he will be happy in furnishing those of his former customers, and hopes that his conduct in business, will not only merit the approbation of his friends, but that of the public in general.

Pittsburgh, June 4, 1801.

N. B. The highest price will be allowed for all kind of Peltry, also, for Country Linnen, and other articles of Country Produce.

ALMANACKS

For the Year 1801,

May be had at the Printing Office of the Pittsburgh Gazette, by the single, dozen or gross.

November 13, 1800.

A variety of

BLANKS

For Sale at this Office.

Proclamation.

WHEREAS the Honourable Alexander Addison, Esq. President of the several Courts of Common Pleas, in the Counties composing the Fifth District, and Justice of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the said District—and George Wallace, John M'Dowell, George Thompson, and John B. C. Lucas, Esquires, Associate Judges of the said Courts in the County of Allegheny, having issued their precept, dated the 27th day of March last, to me directed, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, at the Court House, in the Borough of Pittsburgh, on Monday the 22d day of June next,

Public Notice is hereby given to all the Justices of the Peace, the Coroner, and Constables within the said County of Allegheny, that they be then and there, in their own proper persons, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices in that behalf appertain to be done; and also they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are or then shall be in the jail of the said county of Allegheny, are to be then and there, to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Dated at Pittsburgh, the 29th day of May, Anno Domini, 1801.

EPHRAIM JONES, Sheriff.

GOD SAVE THE COMMONWEALTH.

Sheriff's Sales.

BY *virtue of sundry writs of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be exposed to Sale at the Court House, in the Borough of Pittsburgh, on Monday the 22d day of June next, the following described real estate.*

One Out Lot situate in Mead Island, containing 5 acres, one Town Lot, No. 2, situate in Meadville, adjoining Lot, No 3, with a frame house and log kitchen, one other Lot, No. 43, with a log house, one other Lot, No. 46, with a log house, two other Lots situate in the Diamond, No. 108 and No. 109, the one half of an undivided Tract of Land, situate in William Power's district No. 2, on the east side of French creek, adjoining lands of Robert Finney on the north, and David Mead, Esq. on the south, containing 256 acres, more or less, one other Tract of Land, situate in Power's district, on the east side of French creek, adjoining lands of John Wilkins, jun. Robert Fitzrandolph, and others, containing 411 acres, with allowance, &c. Taken in execution as the property of Samuel Lord and Nicholas Lord, at the suit of Robert Brotherton & Co. for the use of James and William Miller.

One undivided moiety of a Lot of Ground in M'Kee's Port, containing in the whole Lot 14 acres and 54 perches, together with the Brewery, Distillery and Stills, Still Vessels, Horse mill, and all the improvements and appurtenances as fully as John Reed held the same in partnership with James O'Hara, the levy being specifically on John Reed's undivided moiety of the whole—also 230 acres of wood land on Street's run, be the same more or less, adjoining lands of William Walker, William Weightman, John Kincaid, and others. Taken in execution as the property of John Reed, at the suit of Gabriel Blakeney for the use of John M'Donald.

Two hundred and sixty acres of land, situate on the south west bank of the Monongahela river, about two miles above Pittsburgh. Taken in execution as the property of Samuel S. Mahon, Esq. at the suit of Robert Culbertson.

One hundred and six acres and three-fourths of an acre of land, with the appurtenances, situate in Versailles township, adjoining lands of Michael Hellman, John Irwin, and others. Taken in execution as the property of John M'Cool, at the suit of Thomas Crawford.

Lots No. 8 and 26 in Middletown, bounded by Water street, Walnut street, and Plumb street. Taken in execution as the property of William Cheney, at the suit of George Bruce.

Two hundred acres of land, more or less, situate in Middlesex township, on the waters of Big and Little Conequenessing creek. Taken in execution as the property of James Carson, at the suit of Robert M'Gill, assignee of John Clows.

Part of Lot No. 181, in the Borough of Pittsburgh, with a brick house 22 feet in front on Front street. Taken in execution as the property of Samuel Creigh, at the suit of Israel and David Jones.

One undivided moiety of a Lot of Ground in M'Kee's Port, containing in the whole Lot 14 acres and 54 perches, together with the Brewery, Distillery and Stills, Still Vessels, Horse Mill, and all the improvements and appurtenances, as fully as John Reed held the same in partnership with James O'Hara, the levy being specifically on John Reed's undivided moiety of the whole—also, 230 acres of wood land, on Streets run, be the same more or less, adjoining lands of William Walker, William Weightman, John Kincaid, and others. Taken in execution as the property of John Reed, at the suit of Gabriel Blakeney, for the use of John M'Donald.

A Tract of Land of about 60 acres, on which is erected a Dwelling House, and a Grist and Saw Mill, in good repair, situate at the mouth of Long Run on the Youghiogeny river—also, a certain House and Lot No. 163, situate in M'Kee's Port, with a kitchen and stable, adjoining William Cheney on the one side, and George Crawford on the other. Seized and taken in execution as the property of Robert Colboon.

Lots No. 115, 20, 21, 25, 26, 36, 51, 141 and 151 in M'Kee's Port—an Out Lot adjoining the heirs of James Pebbles, deceased, and also a Tract of Land on the north bank of the Monongahela, opposite M'Kee's Port, containing 50 acres. Taken in execution as the property of John M'Kee, at the suit of Samuel Ross.

N. B. The judgment under which the above is to be sold is dated December Term, 1795, and all prior judgments are supposed to be satisfied.

EPHRAIM JONES, Sheriff.

Pittsburgh, May 26, 1801.

WASHINGTON CITY, June 1.

Correspondence between Mr. KING and Lord HAWKESBURY.

[COPIES.]

Great Cumberland Place, 13th March, 1801.

MY LORD,

THE decree of the vice-admiralty court of Naples, a copy of which is annexed, condemning the cargo of an American vessel going from the United States to a port in the Spanish Colonies, upon the ground that the articles of innocent merchandize composing the same, though *bona fide* neutral property, were of the growth of Spain, having been sanctioned, and the principle extended by the prize courts of the other British islands, and particularly by the court of Jamaica, has been deemed sufficient authority to the commanders of the ships of war and privateers cruizing in those seas, to fall upon and capture all American vessels bound to an enemy's colony, and having on board any article of the growth or manufacture of a nation at war with Great Britain.

Those captures which are vindicated by what is termed the belligerent's right to distress his enemy by interrupting the supplies which his habits of convenience may require, have produced the strongest and most serious complaints among the American merchants; who have seen, with indignation, a nation assigned for the capture and confiscation of their property, which is totally disregarded in the open trade carried on between the British and Spanish colonies, by British and Spanish subjects, in the very articles the supply of which, by neutral merchants is unjustly interrupted.

The law of nations, acknowledged in the treaty of amity, commerce and navigation, between the United States and Great Britain, allows the goods of an enemy to be lawful prize, and pronounces those of a friend to be free.

While the United States take no measures to abridge the rights of Great Britain, as a belligerent, they are bound to resist with firmness every attempt to extend them, at the expence of the equally incontestible rights of nations, which bind their interest and duty in living in peace with the rest of the world.

So long as the ancient law of nations is observed, which protects the innocent merchandize of neutrals, while it abandons to belligerent the goods of his enemy, a plain rule exists and may be appealed to, to decide the rights of peace and war—the belligerent has no better authority to curtail the rights of the neutral than the neutral has to do the like in regard to the rights of the belligerent; and it is only by an adherence to the ancient code, and the rejection of modern glosses, that fixed and precise rules can be found, defining the rights, and regulating the duties of independent states.

This subject is of such importance, and the essential interests of the United States, whose policy is that of peace, are so deeply affected by the doctrines which, during the present war, have been set, in order to enlarge the rights of belligerents, at the expence of those of neutrals, that I shall, without loss of time, submit to your Lordship's consideration such further reflections respecting the same, as its great importance appears to demand.

In the mean time, as the decisions referred to cannot, from the unavoidable delay which attends the prosecution of appeals, be speedily reversed, and as the effect of those decrees will continue to be the unjust and ruinous interruption of the American commerce in the West Indies, it is my duty to require that precise instructions shall, without delay, be dispatched to the proper officers in the West Indies and Nova-Scotia, to correct the abuses which have arisen out of these illegal decrees and put an end to the depredations which are wasting the lawful commerce of a peaceful and friendly nation.

With great consideration and respect,

I have the honor to be,

Your Lordship's most obedient

And most humble servant,

RUFUS KING.

Lord Hawkesbury, &c. &c.

* In the case of the American brigantine Lapaid, Ropes, master, laden in part with Malaga wines. The cargo, so far as it consisted of wine, though regularly imported into the United States was condemned by Judge Kensel, 2d October 1800, "the same being productions of the Spanish Territory in Europe, and bound to the transatlantic parts of that empire."

Downing Street, April 11, 1801.

SIR,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th of last month, and to inform you, that in consequence of the representation contained in it, a letter has been written, by his majesty's command, by His grace the Duke of Portland, to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, a copy of which letter I herewith inclose to you for the information of the government of the United States.

I have the honor to be, with great truth,

SIR,

Your most obedient humble servant,

(Signed) HAWKESBURY.

Rufus King, Esq. &c. &c.

Whitehall, 30th March, 1801.

MY LORDS,

I transmit to your Lordships herewith a copy of a decree of the vice-admiralty court of Nassau, condemning the cargo of an American vessel going from the United States to a port in the spanish colonies, and the said decree having been referred to the consideration of the King's Advocate General, your Lordships will perceive from his report, an extract of which I enclose; that it is his opinion that the sentence of the vice-admiralty court is erroneous, and founded in a misapprehension or misapplication of the principles laid down in the decision of the high court of admiralty referred to, without attending to the limitation therein contained.

In order, therefore, to put a stop to the inconveniences arising from these erroneous sentences of the vice admiralty courts, I have the honor to signify to your Lordships the King's pleasure, that a communication of the doctrine laid down in the said report should be immediately made by your Lordships to the several courts presiding in them, setting forth what is held to be the law upon the subject by the superior tribunals for their future guidance and direction.

I am, &c.

PORTLAND.

The Lord Commissioners of Admiralty.

Extract of the Advocate General's Report, dated the 16th March, 1801.

I have the honor to report that sentence of the Vice admiralty court appears to me to be erroneous, and to be founded in a misapprehension or misapplication of the principles laid down in the decision of the court of admiralty referred to without attending to the limitations therein contained.

The general principle respecting the colonial trade has in the course of the present war been relaxed in consideration of the present state of commerce. It is now distinctly understood, and it has been repeatedly decided by the high court of admiralty, and the court of appeal, that the produce of the colonies of the enemy may be imported by a neutral into his own country, and may be re exported from thence even to the mother country of such colony; and in like manner the produce and manufactures of the mother country may in this circuitous mode legally find their way to the colonies. The direct trade, however, between the mother country and its colonies has not, I apprehend, been recognized as legal either by his majesty's government or by his tribunals.

What is a direct trade, or what amounts to an intermediate importation into the neutral country, may sometimes be a question of some difficulty: A general definition of either, applicable to all cases cannot well be laid down. The question must depend upon the particular circumstances of each case. Perhaps the mere touching in the neutral country to take fresh clearances may properly be considered as a fraudulent evasion, and as, in effect, the direct trade; but the high court of admiralty has lately decided (and I see no reason to expect that the court of appeal will vary the rule) that landing the goods and paying duties in the neutral country breaks the continuity of the voyage, and is such an importation as legalises the trade, although the goods be re-shipped in the same vessel, and on account of the same neutral proprietor, and be forwarded for sale to the mother country or to the colony.

A true copy from the files of the Department of State.

JACOB WAGNER,
Ch. Clerk.

From a late London Paper.

HORRID STATE OF FRANCE.

"He that hath ears to hear, let him hear."

WE shall make no apology for this solemn introduction to the facts which we are about to lay before our readers. Never was there a subject more worthy of attention; never one better calculated to produce salutary reflections.

It has been, as it ever will be, our custom to trust more in *facts* than in *reasoning*; and in every case of facts, we shall always, when we can, confine ourselves to those which are furnished by our enemies themselves.

The London papers which are in the pay of Bonaparte, devote a certain portion almost every sheet to the insertion of those articles which are fabricated at Paris for the express purpose of imposing on the credulous people of this country. Nor do these prints stop here; they invent falsehoods of their own, which they circulate with nefarious industry. From this double source of deception, the people of this country draw most copious draughts. They are told, and many of them believe, that France (*the Republic*,' as they sometimes call her, by way of eminence,) is the happiest country in the world. The admirers of '*the great Bonaparte*' have so long entertained their readers with encomiums on him and his government, that it is now become fashionable to speak of it, not only with *candour* but with *approbation*. Editions of this modern Mahomet do not show that he is now and then compelled to exert a little '*wholesome severity*;' but they tell us that France is the seat of learning, of the arts, of plenty, peace and security.

These assertions we have frequently denied: this picture we have frequently declared to be a counterfeit; and we shall now bring the French themselves to bear witness to the truth of our words. We shall not only appeal to a *French* paper, but that paper shall be the *official Journal of the usurper*, and, therefore, our testimony may be regarded as coming from the lips of BUONAPARTE himself.

The extracts, which we are about to submit to our readers, are taken from the *Moniteur* of the 21st of January, and from a speech of DUVEYRIER, which was made in the assembly, called the *Tribunate*, on the 20th of Nivose, according to the infidel date, which answers to the christian date of the 10th of January. The danger, in which BUONAPARTE perceived himself to be placed, led him to contrive means of security. Those means were to be found only in an extension of his power over those groups of executioners whom he had dignified with the name of *courts of justice*. These courts, servile as they are, are composed of *Frenchmen*, and it was not unreasonable to suppose, that, though inured to the shedding of innocent blood, they would be rather backward in butchering their countrymen by hundreds, in order that a single *Italian* might sleep in security. For this reason it was, that the tyrant thought it necessary to establish what he styles, '*an extraordinary court of justice*;' and, as the members of the assembly called the Tribunate, are mere tools, employed for the sole purpose of giving the appearance of legality to his proceedings, this '*extraordinary court of justice*' was, with much formality, proposed by them. It is from the report of the committee, appointed to examine this matter, that we shall take our extracts. We shall give them, faithfully translated, without comment. They need no illustration, as nothing can brighten the picture, so nothing can render it more hideous.

DUVEYRIER, organ of the committee. 'Tribunes, I stand here, for the purpose of laying before you the result of your committee's deliberations.

"The Republic, through its whole extent, is alarmed; a domestic *virus pervades all its pores*, a latent cause of destruction, a vast conspiracy threatens public liberty in its most sacred sanctuary, and *strikes at every member of society at the same moment*—it is for the salutary purpose of applying a remedy for this extreme evil, that government proposes the establishment of an *extraordinary tribunal* in the departments, where it shall be judged expedient to adopt such a measure of prudence.

"Your committee has examined this question with careful attention—"*Does the present danger imperiously require that, in case of certain crimes,* THE USUAL FORMS OF LAW SHOULD BE ABANDONED *for the general good?*"

"Your committee, with the whole nation, *declares for the affirmative!!!!*

"Genius and courage have resolved the problem of ten years convulsions and of ten years battles—victory herself has, for our sake, gone beyond the limits, which history and the imagination of man had assigned to her—the barrier, which time and nature had placed, the elements themselves have been subdued, the frowning summit of the Alps has become a beaten way, the torrent of the most rapid rivers can no longer obstruct the march of the warrior, who *steps* from one to the other bank—our legions ever and every where invincible, dictate peace in the centre of the enemy's country.

"Those miracles have been the works of a year, and Europe, reduced to the task of admiring, sees, in the middle of her territory, the first Republic in the world arise and establish itself as much by its wisdom as by its colossal strength; a vast Republic founded and settled nearly at the same time, and from which alone she may obtain, without any exorbitant sacrifices, a political equilibrium, a lasting peace with all the blessings of abundance, and all the sweets of industry and of the arts.

"Such is France with respect to Europe—but how different with respect to herself!

"In the midst of those triumphs, a war of a new species, an intestine, an inviter, a deceitful war perplexes and threatens the conquerors of Europe: our political agitations, the frustrated hopes of ambition, the inextinguishable hatred, the unalterable revenge, the machinations and the *inexhaustible fund of the enemy's gold*, our victories and our losses, our exploits and our excesses, the calumny of the times and the moderation of our laws, *conscientiousness, indulgence*, and *impunity*, a thousand various causes, all arising from a revolution, which *is approaching its end*, have generated among us a species of men, whom we cannot rank in the class of mankind.

"Faithless to the law of nature, and indifferent to the habits of education—strangers to morality and to all civil institutions—having among them neither discipline nor rule, except for the purpose of assassination and of robbery—having no project, nor no will, except for the destruction of the Republic, those monsters are placed, not only out of the jurisdiction of the common law, not only out of the social compact but *out of all human relationship in general!!!*

"*Crimes hitherto unheard of strike us with horror* by the cruel solemnity of the act, and by the dark machinations of the plot—*the highways are infested with robbers formed into regiments—the safety of every citizen is gone—public fame outraged in the most sacred asylum impudently violated*—the magistrates are *proscribed and marked for the dagger*—the purchasers of national domains *persecuted and tortured as thieves*, who conceal their booty—the founders, of the columns of the Republic publicly pointed at, *and public opinion depraved to such a degree*—a general deluge of pollutions and of vices *spreads through the land—all social intercourse is obstructed, trade is embarrassed, property insecure*, the order of society in fine assaulted in its centre by a system of criminality, which is more powerful, more extended, and more active than words can express:—*Such is the picture of France!*

"Does not all this resolve the question in the affirmative? Shall I go still further? Shall I ask, in the name of the committee, who is the only man among you, *whose existence is not threatened?* Who is the soldier who, on his return to France, *has not his private foe to dread?* Where is the magistrate for whom *a poignard has not been freshly pointed?* Where the public functionary who has not *to tremble for himself, for his family, and his dearest relatives?*—In fine, has not the Genius of France been sacrilegiously outraged?"

American Intelligence.

NEW-YORK: May 26.

The Census of the United States, (says a Georgetown paper lately taken, is daily furnishing us with new proofs of the rapidity with which they rise towards an unparralleled greatness.

When we look back to the close of the revolutionary war and observe what has been effected in less than 20 years—when glancing our eyes from the north to the south we view the new beauties and improvements, wealth and enjoyment which have been in that short period added to the old settlements, and how many new ones have been formed—when we remark that towns and cities of that day have doubled and trebled the population, buildings, commerce, and wealth, and that new ones have sprung up, like a new world, nothing, we are struck with an agreeable surprise at the progress we have made; and that progress would appear almost miraculous were it not the subject of our constant experience.

Our surprise will perhapes be increased, if reflecting on what we were two centuries ago, we compare ourselves at this moment with some considerable nations of Europe. Our population is probably about six millions, which is three times that of either Switzerland, Portugal, or Holland, and twice that of Sweden. It is according to some computations equal to that of Spain, and even the population of England, probably does not exceed *eight* millions.

Our merchant ships have been estimated to amount to nearly 100 000 tons, 77,000 tons were built the last year, our exports for the same period were to the value of 71 millions of dollars, and our revenue upwards of 15 millions.

Such is our present state; but when we look forward to what this nation will be when in the vision of futurity, we shall behold present towns and cities stretch street on street, rear high the pile of elegance and grandeur, spread the sails of commerce, and pour forth the glittering stores of wealth; when we behold new towns and cities spring upon every side like the palaces of enchantment; when before our eyes the deep uncultured wilderness is transformed into the rich garden of industry and skill, and we hear the joyful music of civilized life and social happiness sounding down the once solitary vale, or rising o'er the mountain's brow, we contemplate a scene more pleasing and sublime than any the progress of nations ever before exhibited. When we consider that from the vast extent of our territory, comprehending more than a million of square of miles, being a fortieth part of the habitable globe, this progress will be long continued; that in half a century our population will probably amount to 26 or 30 millions equal to that of the largest states in Europe, and in a century more, a period which some now born will no doubt live to see, we may according to this progress, have 100 millions; that we may finally in the natural course of events occupy the Mississippi, help people the fair regions of the West, and in one shape or other command the continent, we are struck with awe at our own future greatness and the prodigious velocity with which we are carried towards it.

Africa is now, has long been, and probably will long be lost in fable barbarism, her sons are the slaves of each other and of other quarters of the globe. Asia is luxurious, corrupt, and appears rather to retrograde than advance in social excellence. Europe divided into numerous independent states, has been and almost constant scene of war. But with our social institutions, with morals comparatively pure, with arts and sciences and divine religion, we have the fairest prospects of felicity and greatness which a nation ever enjoyed. Yes, the scene before us is fair as that which enchants the traveller on some mountain's height, while hills and groves, and verdant meads and peopled plains floating with golden harvests, lie stretched below, whose soil far and wide they spread and show their silver floods enlarging as they roll, till all this light and soul is in the boundless prospect lost.

If this fair prospect be blasted and these bright scenes darkened, it will be the work of our own hands, it will be accursed fruit of narrow views, wild theories, or corrupted manners, of some strange madness or some foul degeneracy. But let us make our views as enlarged as our territory and elevate them high as our future destinies. Let us reflect that this is not for ourselves alone that we act, nor for future generations no more numerous than the present; but for generations of accumulated millions for centuries to come. Let us in short wisely improve the great and numerous advantages we possess—Let us cherish freedom, science and virtue, then probably may this continent, which a few centuries back was almost a blank, rise above the other quarters of the globe and ameliorate the world.

Sir William Scott, gave notice in the House of Commons the 20th of April, that he intended to move for leave to bring in a bill for the better regulation of Vice-Admiralty Courts in the West Indies and other Foreign possessions. He expressed his opinion, that this species of jurisdiction ought to be founded on the clearest principles, and exercised with the strictest impartiality, justice and regard to the rights and privileges of other countries. From the situation, however in which he was placed, he had opportunities of observing that erroneous decisions have been made in some instances. He was proceeding to state the case in which these errors had originated, when the Speaker interrupted him by observing, that if he only meant to give notice and not to make any motion, he would be out of order in proceeding.

A gentleman from Kenteky informs, that after the blockade of New-Orleans by the [illegible]ish, four brigs belonging to New-York, with flour, failed from that port with a design to hazard an escape, but fortunately [illegible] out of the four were taken and ordered for Jamaica. Great quantities of flour were offered very low prices, on credit, but could not be [illegible] and should the blockade continue, many thousand barrels which were at market, would be lost, as it could not in that climate, be preserved from damaging.

The growing commerce of this place is beyond all calculation—Our wharves and slips are crouded with vessels which have recently arrived and which are preparing for sea with all possible expedition. During the month of April, 38 brigs, 47 brigs, 53 schrs. and 13 sloops, and during the month of May, 43 ships, 50 brigs, 34 schrs. and 14 sloops, arrived here from foreign ports, during two months only, 292 vessels of which 81 were ships.

PHILADELPHIA, June 1.

The ship Merchant, captain Knox, arrived at Boston on the 25th inst. in thirty days from London. Her papers though only to the 10th April, furnish us with several interesting articles which were not received by way of New York.

A messenger arrived at Rodes on the 1st February, with dispatches from the East-Indies for Sir Sidney Smith, as the commanding officer on that station, announcing the departure of the Eastern Army for Egypt.

Advices were received in England on the 21st of April, via Hamburgh, that the British forces from Bombay, destined to co operate with Sir Ralph Abercrombie, had arrived in the Red Sea. They consist of eleven thousand Seapoys, under the command of General Baird. It was the knowledge of this fact which induced Sir Ralph Abercrombie to fail without waiting for the Turkish armament.

In consequence of the urgent applications of the Minister of the United States, the Batavian Government has taken off the embargo on American vessels: but it still continues with regard to the trading vessels of other nations.

The project of the new Batavian constitution is printing.

The following is a statement of the force employed in the English expedition to Egypt—General Sir Ralph Abercrombie, commander in chief. Major General Hutchinson, second in command. 12th and 26th light dragoons. 1st and 3d battalion Coldstream guards. 1st brigade; 2d battalion royals, 1st and 2d battalions 54th regiments, and 92d regiment. 2d brigade; 8th, 13th, 18th and 90th regiment, under General Craddock.—3d brigade, 50th and 79th regiments, under Major General Lord Cavan. 4th brigade; 28th, 30th, 44th and 84th regiments, under Brigadier General Doyle. 5th brigade; Minorca regiment, De Rolles and Dillons, under Brigadier General Stewart. Reserve; 23d, 18th, 42d, and 58th foot, and Corsicans. Flank companies; 2d battalion 40th regiment, detachment 11th light dragoons, a detachment of Hompesch's riflers. Artillery pieces, and ordnance stores. Commandant of artillery, General Lawson; chief engineer, Major M'Kenzie; adjutant general Brigadier General Hope; assistants, 48th and 89th regiments.

Accounts from Lisbon to April 20th, state, that the Portuguese continued their exertions to pacify France.

Boston paper.

The whole of the fishing fleet at Marblehead, having three or four, have returned with noble fares; superior to what has been known for twenty years past. It is supposed they will average nearly 30 quaintals a vessel. This will enable them, if so disposed, to keep a flying Election this day.

Boston paper.

REVIEW OF THE NEWS.

THE history of England never presented a more critical period than that, which immediately preceded the battle of Copenhagen. Deserted by her allies, excluded from the port of Europe, laboring under the complicated evils of scarcity and the burdens of a long continued war, England stood collected and alone. She determined, at every hazard, to support the ancient laws and usages of nations against an unnatural confederacy opposed to the clearest interest of neutrals, and inconsistent with the rights of belligerents. The subsequent victory of Nelson, and the death of the Emperor Paul, will be followed by effects whose influence and extent cannot now be calculated. The coalition, that misshapen mass of power, without any principle of common interest to combine and direct it, must crumble to pieces, and Bonaparte must resort to other means for establishing the new law of nations. His favorite scheme of calling in neutrals, under pretence of supporting their rights, and promoting their interests, to assist him in abridging the power of a hated rival must be abandoned. The pacific and friendly disposition of the new Emperor towards England, arising from interest and sound policy, must moderate the views of the First Consul to a degree, which will probably preserve the balance, and revive the peace of Europe. The King of Prussia, who has already carved out a recompence for services which have not yet been performed, will be unable to maintain his new acquisitions, unless supported by Russia. The Danes and Swedes, deprived of their head and mallet, smarting with the loss of their West India possessions, defeated and blocked up at home, must capitulate

for their own immediate safety. If Alexander should co-operate with England and the Ottoman Porte, in expelling the French from Egypt, some limits may be set to the ambition of Bonaparte, who has always measured his justice by his power—We may conclude that the late important and almost miraculous events in Europe will influence in its more permanent security, and protective to us the blessings of neutrality.

(N. E. Palladium.)

To the Printer of the Naval Chronicle and Register.

SIR,

HAVING lately arrived from the Mediterranean, and hearing the accounts from that country, in circulation here, vague and untrue; I therefore take the liberty of troubling you for the information of your readers. The copy of a Talk, delivered to the Chiefs of the Mufkogee Nation, by the Deputy Captain, W. A. Bowles, after I returned from the Navy, appears to me rather [illegible] him by a Act of the Indians [illegible] of that country, who are [illegible] the Governor [illegible] Agent [illegible] but had the Director General [illegible] which [illegible] put up in [illegible] for that [illegible] making the [illegible] made to [illegible] expedition [illegible]

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the news this moment received by me from Algiers. I hasten them to transmit copies of Consul O'Brien's letter to the 6th instant which came to me through the Department of the first minister of state of his Catholic majesty. From the last of these letters you will learn, that the Dey of Tripoli, having refused the mediation of Algiers, the presents sent from thence, and the bills of Consul Cathcart, was determined upon war against the United States, and was sending his cruisers to sea accordingly.—It is devoutly to be wished that he may soon have reason to repent this wicked and rash proceeding at his leisure. As it is a considerable time since consul Cathcart (whom I consider a very faithful and vigilant public officer) took the wise precaution of giving extensive advice of the great probability of this event, I cannot but hope that our unarmed merchant vessels will not be exposed to the hazard of falling into the possession of these pirates, but that they will rather be retained in port (however inconvenient or expensive it may be) until they can be protected by armed vessels of the United States, adequate to the purpose. On the policy of repelling force by force, and of blocking the ports of this aggressor, I can add little to the motives which I have already had the honor to offer. I may, however, yet be allowed to say, that the occasion never seem more than at any former time to reduce us to the alternative of having a few frigates and sight armed vessels in the Mediterranean, or of retiring with our trade to it. To be at war with one of the Barbary powers, fully employ our commerce to nearly the same risk as to be at war with all of them.—To chastise that haughty but contemptible power which now dares insult us by its pretensions would certainly serve, not only as a salutary example to the other piratical states, but it would produce an almost incalculable effect in elevating our national character in the estimation of all Europe."

Algiers, the [illegible] April, 1801.

SIR,

The Algerine corsairs are as yet all in port, and wait the result of the second mission to Constantinople. I imagine nothing will come forward from the United States, before they sail; that is, I have my fears. On the last instant I sent to the Dey requesting he would permit a second letter to be written by the vessels to the Bashaw of Tripoli; had certainly gone out [illegible] effect.

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French Revolution.

PROPOSALS,

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ef, Pork, Flour and Whiskey,
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oap, Candles and Vinegar.

Apply to
OLIVER ORMSBY

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he Creditors of Barnard Van- n, insolvent debtor, are required to meet he house of *John Stratton*, innkeeper, in h Beaver Township, on Friday the 19th of June next, to settle their respective accts.

A. WILLINGTON, Trustee.

May 12, 1801.

CHEAP GOODS

RE just opening by the subscribers at their A NEW STORE in Pittsburgh, corner of rket and Second Streets, formerly occupied Messrs. Prather and Smiley, consisting of a ll some and general assortment of

MERCHANDIZE,

a superior quality, suitable to any season, ich they are determined to sell on very low ms for Cash, Peltry, Furrs, and approved untry Produce.

Scott and Trotter.

Pittsburgh, November 20, 1800.

The Subscriber proposes to open a
Conveyancing Office,

Fifth Street, near the Diamond, where all ds of Instruments of Writing will be done h accuracy and dispatch, and on the lowest ms. Those who may please to favour him h their custom may depend on having their ness done to their satisfaction. Posting of oks will also be attended to.

Moses Ford.

Pittsburgh, April 25, 1801.

A FRESH SUPPLY OF NEW GOODS,

ast Received and now opening for sale, by

WILLIAM CHRISTY,

CONSISTING of Irish linens, Irish and Ruf A fia sheetings, Drogheda's, cotton and linen cks, a few pieces of superfine cassimers, ghams, muslins, &c. &c.—also, a very large d beautiful assortment of common Tea Ware d China.

Those Goods have all been purchased for sh, and are now offered for sale at the most uced prices for the same useful article.

Pittsburgh, May 16, 1801.

Will be Sold by Public Vendue,

the Court House, in the Borough of Pittsburgh, on Monday the 22d day of June next, ing Court day, LOT No. 3294, in the Town Erie, on which is erected a Brick Messuage by 18 feet, two stories high, with two wood oms on the first and two on the second floor, h five places in each room, and an excellent lar, and a Log Kitchen 24 feet by 18—will also be Sold on the same day, 400 Acres First Rate Land, on the waters of Harbour ck, within six miles of the Town of Erie e title is unquestionable. For further particulars apply to ANDREW WILLOCK, Pittsburgh, who is empowered to sell at Private e.

W. C. SYDNOR.

Erie, 19th May, 1801.

BLANKS.

Offices Summonses, Executions, &c. for Sale at this Office.

War Department,

APRIL 20th, 1801.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT separate PROPOSALS will be received at the Office of the Secretary for the Department of War, until the expiration of the 30th of June next, ensuing, for the supply of all RATIONS, which may be required for the use of the United States, from the first day of October 1801, until the thirtieth day of September, 1802, both days inclusive, at the following places, viz.

FIRST. At Pittsburgh; at Fort Franklin; at Le Boeuf; at Presqu'isle; at Niagara; at Oswego; at Detroit; at Fort Wayne; at Michilimackinac; at the Falls of St. Mary's; and at the Grand Portage on Lake Superior,

SECOND. At Forts Washington, Vincennes, and Massac; at the Cantonment near the mouth of the Ohio, and at any post or place on the east side of the Mississippi River, between the mouths of the Ohio and Illinois Rivers; and at any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the state of Kentucky.

THIRD. At Knoxville, Tellico, South West Point, and any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the state of Tennessee; at Bear creek on the Tennessee River, and at any place in the Chickasaw or Choctaw country between Bear creek and Natchez; at the Chickasaw Bluffs; at Natchez; at Fort Adams and its dependencies, and thence to the Mobile River.

Separate PROPOSALS will also be received as aforesaid for the supply of all rations which may be required for the use of the United States from the 1st day of January 1802, until the 31st day of December in the same year, both days inclusive, within the several states hereinafter mentioned, viz.

FOURTH. At Point Peter; at Fort Greene; at Fort Wilkinson; at Fort Pinckney; at Fort Johnston; at Fort Moultrie in Charleston Harbour; at Fort Johnson, Cape Fear; and at any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the states of Georgia, South-Carolina, and North Carolina.

FIFTH. At Fort Norfolk; at Harper's Ferry; at Fort M'Henry; at the City of Washington, and at any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the states of Virginia and Maryland.

SIXTH. At Wilmington; at Fort Mifflin; at the Laboratory near Philadelphia; and at any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the states of Delaware and Pennsylvania, excepting Pittsburg, Fort Franklin, Le Boeuf, and Presqu'isle, in the state of Pennsylvania.

SEVENTH. At Trenton; at Fort Jay; at West Point, and at any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the states of New Jersey or New-York, excepting Oswego and Niagara in the state of New-York.

EIGHTH. At Newport; at New-London, and at any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the states of Rhode-Island and Connecticut.

NINTH. At Fort Independence, Boston Harbour, at Salem, at Marblehead, at Portland, at Portsmouth, at Bennington, and at any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited, within the states of Massachusetts, New-Hampshire and Vermont.

A ration is to consist of eighteen ounces of bread or flour, or when neither can be obtained, of one quart of rice, or one and an half pound of sifted or boulted Indian meal, one pound and a quarter of fresh beef, or one pound of salted beef, or three quarters of a pound of salted pork; and when fresh meat is issued, salt at the rate of two quarts for every hundred rations; soap at the rate of four pounds, and candles at the rate of a pound and an half, for every hundred rations—The proposals will extend to the supply of rum, whiskey, or other ardent spirits, at the rate of half a gill per ration, and vinegar at the rate of two quarts for every hundred rations. The price of the several components parts of the ration, as well as substitutes and alternatives, must be specified.

The rations are to be furnished in such quantities as that there shall at all times, during the term of the proposed contracts, be sufficient for the consumption of the troops at Michilimackinac, Detroit, Niagara, and Oswego, for six months in advance, and at each of the other posts on the Western waters for at least three months in advance, of good and wholesome provisions, if the same shall be required. It is also to be permitted to all and every of the commandants of fortified places, or of posts, to call for at seasons when the same can be transported, or at any time in the case of urgency, such supplies of like provisions in advance, as in the discretion of the commandant shall be deemed proper. It is to be understood that the contractor is to be at the expence and risk of issuing the supplies to the troops, and that all losses sustained by the depredations of an enemy, or by means of the troops of the United States, shall be paid for by the United States, at the price of the article captured or destroyed, on the depositions of two or more persons of creditable characters, and the certificate of a commissioned officer, ascertaining the circumstances of the loss, and the amount of the articles for which compensation shall be claimed.

The privilege is to be understood to be reserved to the United States of requiring that none of the supplies which may be furnished under any the supplies which have been, or may be, furnished under contracts now in force, have been consumed, and that a supply in advance may be always required at any of the fixed posts on the sea board or Indian frontiers, not exceeding three months.

HENRY DEARBORN,
Secretary of War.

TO BE LET,

A Small but convenient two Story Brick House and Kitchen, now in the tenure of the Rev. Mr. Steel, and opposite the Pittsburgh Academy. There is also a well improved Garden belonging to the house. For terms apply to

JAMES B. CLOW.

Pittsburgh, March 31, 1801.

WANTED,

Journeymen Boot and Shoemakers

Good Workmen will find immediate employment and generous wages, by applying to the subscriber in Ferry street.

Andrew Willock.

Pittsburgh, April 23, 1801.

RESERVE TRACT
In the Town of Erie,
FOR SALE.

ON Saturday the 23d of August next, the Books will be opened in the Office of the subscriber, residing in the town of Erie, for the Sale of the Reserved Tract at the mouth of Caskade creek, including the same. The said Reserved Tract is laid out by virtue of an act of assembly passed the 11th day of April, 1799.—One fifth of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale, one fifth part within twelve months from the day of sale, one fifth part within two years from said day, and the remaining two fifths at or before the expiration of three years after such sale. No contract to be confirmed for fifteen days after the said Books shall be opened, and the highest price within that time will be accepted, provided that it amounts to fifty dollars per acre. The said tract contains fifteen acres. All payments will be forfeited unless the purchaser within three years from the day of sale makes an actual settlement on the Tract, by clearing, fencing and cultivating at least two acres to each fifty, or in that proportion contained in that survey, and erect thereon a messuage for the habitation of man, and reside thereon for five years next following the first settlement of the same. No patent to issue unless satisfactory proof shall be made of such actual settlement and improvement.

THOMAS REES, *Commissioner.*

Erie, April 27, 1801. 1234.

WILLIAM CECIL,

At his House in Liberty Street, near the Market House,

MAKES and sells all kinds of Ladies Buck skin and Plush Saddles, Gentlemens' Plain, Burr, Spring and Inlaid Saddles, and Bridles of all descriptions, Saddle bags, Portmanteaus, Valeces, Travelling Canteens, Holsters, Light Horse Caps, Fire Buckets and every thing in the Saddlery line done in the neatest and most fashionable manner, and on the shortest notice. He also makes Mattrasses of the best quality, and on the most reasonable terms.

All kinds of Country Produce will be taken in payment for any of the above articles.

Pittsburgh, March 18, 1801.

Eight Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY from the subscriber living in Dauphin county, Londonderry township, on the 4th of May, an indented Servant named JOHN VALLENEY, about 19 years of age, 5 feet two or three inches high, wants his fore teeth, has black hair, had on a striped gingham coat and a bottle green jacket with sugar loaf buttons, and a new square crown'd hat; he took with him two or three shirts, one pair of cloth trowsers of a dark drab colour, one pair of yellow nankeen trowsers, two pair of striped tow trowsers and a red flag handkerchief.

Whoever apprehends said servant and confines him in any jail so that his master may get him again, shall have the above reward and reasonable charges.

BENJAMIN BOYD.

May 6, 1801.

ABOUT THE MIDDLE OF JUNE NEXT,

Will be Published,

By JOHN WYETH.

And for Sale at his Printing Office in Harrisburgh for the Author.

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THOSE *persons who may wish to be supplied with this useful Book, must notify the Printer hereof, as soon as possible, as a considerable part of the impression is already engaged*——*The price will be One Dollar.*

May 9, 1801.

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DONATION AND DEPRECIATION LA

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Any person inclining to purchase any of the above Tracts of Land, may know the terms of Sale by applying to the subscriber, living three miles from Pittsburgh, on the west side of the Allegheny river.

JAMES SAMPLE.

May 20, 1801.

TO BE RENTED,

A TAN-YARD, *with every suitable convenience for carrying on business, 13 miles from Pittsburgh, near the Monongahela River with or without a good plantation. Possession to be had immediately. Apply to Mr. JOHN REED, Tavernkeeper, Pittsburgh, or to WILLIAM CRESTLEMAN, on the premises.*

May 19, 1801.

THE Public are respectfully informed that the Pennsylvania Population Company still continue to sell portions of their Land situated on the waters of Lake Erie, on French Creek, and other branches of navigable waters that fall into the Ohio, to actual settlers, on moderate prices and extensive credits. The Company having paid attention to open Roads, erecting Mills, &c. for the accommodation of their settlers, and the great obstacles that attends the first settlement of a new country being removed, it is expected the liberal terms of sale, together with the peculiar advantages their lands possess, will induce rapid emigration from the old settled states; as the lands are also patented, the settler is thereby secured in his title from the state—the quality of their lands are equal if not superior, to any now settling in America, well watered, and covered with a variety of excellent timber, and the climate remarkably healthy. New settlers can be supplied with provision at reduced prices, from the inhabitants residing in the country. For the better accommodation of the public the Managers of said Company have their Agents stationed on the waters of Beaver creek, in Beaver county; at the town of Conint, near Meadville, in Crawford county; and at the Office of the subscriber in the town of Greenfield, east end of the Triangle adjoining the west line of the state of New York, where settlers from the eastward, or elsewhere, may be accommodated with an extensive choice of valuable land.

JUDAH COLT, *Agent for Pennsylvania Population Company.*

Greenfield, Erie County, May 8, 1801. 3m.

FOR SALE.

ONE Share in the Ohio Company—also several LOTS handsomely situated near the Academy, in the Borough of Pittsburgh, and other valuable property. Enquire of the subscriber living on the Ohio two miles from Robinson's ferry.

JOSEPH ASHETON.

April 6, 1801.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

DESERTED *from this Garrison, on the morning of the 22d instant,* JOHN M'GINLEY, *a private soldier belonging to the 2d Regt. of Rifles and Engineers. He was born in the State of New Jersey, is about 25 years of age, 5 feet 8 inches in height, has short red hair, fair complexion, and dark eyes, by trade a farmer. He had with him a round hat, linnen overalls, and a coarse linnen frock.*

On the same night, OLIVER TIDD, *belonging to the same corps, born in the state of New York, aged 20 years, is 5 feet 7 inches in height, has short brown hair, blue eyes and fair complexion, had on a round hat, short green jacket with sleeves, linnen overalls, and a white cassimer vest. Whoever will apprehend the above Deserters, and secure them in any jail, or will deliver them to any officer of the United States, shall receive the above reward, or Ten Dollars for each, and all reasonable charges.*

JAMES READ, Capt.
2d Regt. Artl. & Eng.

Fort Fayette, May 23, 1801.

FOR SALE.

A TRACT of LAND containing 400 acres on the waters of Pine creek, Pine township, Allegheny county, about 9 miles from Pittsburgh. There fifteen acres of clear land and a dwelling house on the Tract, and a soil great superior to any in that part of the country. For terms apply to,

WILLIAM DUNNING.